

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-15. (Canceled).

16. (Previously Presented) A method for managing data, comprising:

receiving operational risk data at randomly generated time intervals in a secured manner from an authorized provider;

identifying details in the received data as one of secret, temporarily secret, possibly secrete and not secret, wherein secret, temporarily secret and possibly secret comprise confidential details and concealing confidential details in the received data from a requester while allowing a composite analysis to be performed by the requester that is based on the confidential details;

storing the received data; and

updating the stored data by identifying and exposing any confidential details that have become non-confidential details in the stored data.

17. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 16, further comprising:

decrypting the received data, prior to the identifying step;

verifying an accuracy of the received data;

approving a system for analyzing the stored data; and

protecting encryption keys.

18. (Original) The method of claim 16, further comprising analyzing the stored data with a data analysis system.

19. (Original) The method of claim 18, further comprising approving the data analysis system based upon approval by full rights members.

20-24. (Canceled).